

## Irish Humanities Alliance Information Session



You are invited to attend an information session on the Irish Humanities Alliance / Comhaontas Daonnachtaí na hÉireann. The session will provide an opportunity to speak with IHA colleagues and to explore the work and role of the IHA as an advocate for Arts and Humanities in Ireland and internationally through EU partnerships and international networks. This event is run in association with the Research Committee, College of Arts, Social Sciences and Celtic Studies, University of Galway, with refreshments to follow, agus beidh fáilte roimh chách!

TIME: 1-2pm, Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February

LOCATION: The O'Donoghue Theatre, University of Galway

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### **Irish Humanities Alliance / Comhaontas Daonnachtaí na hÉireann**

In 2013 the Irish Humanities Alliance / Comhaontas Daonnachtaí na hÉireann (IHA) was established as a joint initiative of humanities researchers within higher education and research institutions including universities across the island of Ireland and the Royal Irish Academy / Acadamh Ríoga na hÉireann (RIA) which hosts and supports the IHA. Since its creation the IHA has championed arts and humanities research and scholarship in Ireland and Northern Ireland. Humanities disciplines in both jurisdictions enjoy an excellent international reputation, and the IHA was formed to address the central place of the humanities in the context of a higher education policy landscape that is increasingly shaped by economic imperatives.

The IHA provides a platform for all-island humanities collaboration and consultation. This has enabled the diverse range of humanities disciplines across the island to speak with a single voice. In the context of Brexit, the IHA remains committed to championing the social, cultural and economic value of humanities education and research in Ireland and Northern Ireland.

